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IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following claims:

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(8. A method comprising:

receiving a current frame comprising a frame sync segment and a plurality of data segments, wherein the current frame contains a current map indicating a location of data in a first frame, a next map indicating a location of data in a second frame, and a count

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